



Nebraska Judicial Profile 2010

Honorable James E. Doyle, IV

Judgeship

2001 – Present

Judge of the District Court, 11th Judicial District

(Arthur, Chase, Dawson, Dundy, Frontier, Furnas, Gosper, Hayes, Hitchcock, Hooker, Keith, Lincoln, Logan, McPherson, Perkins, Red Willow, & Thomas counties)

2006 - Present

Judge of the Midwest Nebraska Adult Drug Court, (Dawson County)

Experience

1982 - 2001

Lexington, NE

Private practice of law

1980 – 1982

Lincoln, NE

Private practice, tax consultant

1979 – 1980

Lincoln, NE

Commonwealth Electric Construction Co.

Education

University of Nebraska College of Law, 1981

Juris Doctorate

University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1978

Bachelor of Science

College of Engineering, Science, & Technology

Judicial/Law Related Activities

Professional Affiliations

Nebraska State Bar Association

Nebraska State Bar Foundation

Dawson County Bar Association

Nebraska Supreme Court Committees

Nebraska Supreme Court Committee on Problem-Solving Courts, chairperson

Case Management Committee for Nebraska Trial Courts, member

Automation Advisory Committee, member

Nebraska District Judges Association

Child Support Guidelines Committee
Governmental and Public Relations Committee
Bench Book Committee

Other Judicial Experience

Central Platte Natural Resources District, 2000
Hearing officer – Lower Wood River/Upper Warm Slough Flood Control Project
Tri-Basin Natural Resources District, 1993
Hearing officer – groundwater management plan
Central Platte Natural Resources District, 1993
Hearing officer – groundwater management program

Community Activities

Lexington Public Library Joint Building Committee, chairperson
Citizens Committee for the Library, chairperson
Board of Education, Lexington – president, secretary, & treasurer
Business Improvement District of Lexington
Lexington Child Care Center Board
Lexington Community Services Board
Board of Governors, Central Community College
Knights of Columbus Council 2040, pro bono
Boy Scout Troup 88, assistant scout master
AYSO Youth Soccer Team, coach
Plum Creek Community Players Inc., founder & member
Lexington Jaycees
Lexington Optimists Club

Teaching & Publishing

Program chair, Seminar on Professional Responsibility for Lawyers
Lecturer, Nebraska Water Conference on 'Instream Flow Water Rights'
Lecturer, Natural Resources Law Seminar on 'Legislative Proposals for Integrated Water Management'
Program Chair/Lecturer, Nebraska Water Law Seminar
Lecturer, Evidence Seminar on 'Proof of Property Damages'
Lecturer, University of Nebraska-Kearney on "Death and Dying" course
Instructor, Central Community College, introductory course on real estate law
Lecturer, Dawson Area Development Leadership program on civil litigation

Honors and Awards

2010 Nebraska Supreme Court Outstanding Judge for Improvement of the Judicial System. Outstanding Judge is the highest honor given by the Chief Justice to recognize members of the judiciary for meritorious projects and exemplary accomplishments that enhance the vision of justice within Nebraska communities.

Nebraska State Bar Foundation Fellow: Selection to become a Fellow in the Nebraska State Bar Foundation is based on the integrity and character of the lawyer/judge. The Foundation recognizes established legal professionals who are dedicated to improving the administration of justice. Fellows are accredited by colleagues as leaders of the legal profession who contribute to the charitable and community education works of Foundation

Recognized for Service to Lexington Community, 1997

Recognized for Service to Lexington Public Schools, 1997

Recognized for Service to Central Community College, 1988

Named Outstanding Young Citizen of Lexington, 1986

Member, Allen Moot Court Appellate Competition Board, 1979-1981